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Personnel Policies

Purpose

Describe the local agency responsibilities in developing and carrying out personnel policies

Local Agency Personnel Policies

As an independent contractor, a local agency is responsible for establishing and maintaining its own personnel policies and procedures, including:

- 1. Job descriptions
- 2. Compensation
- 3. Evaluations, promotions, discipline and grievances.

Local Agency-Required Compliance

The local agency is responsible for compliance with requirements related to workers compensation, employers' liability, OSHA, and other federal and state statutes and regulations related to the employer-employee relationship.

State Agency's Role

The State Agency's role in local agency personnel policies is limited to:

- 1. Determining that the local agency meets requirements for having a Competent Professional Authority on staff
- 2. Monitoring agency operations to determine that all WIC functions are performed. As needed, recommendations may be made related to training and job descriptions.